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The Patent Office has correctly identified that the drawings filed on April 26, 2000 include eleven figures. Only ten figures were described in the Brief Description of the Drawings as originally provided. Enclosed is a replacement page for the Brief Description of the Drawings including reference to Figure 11 consistent with a description of Figure 11 on page 20, lines 3 and 4 from the specification as originally filed. This amendment does not add any new matter.

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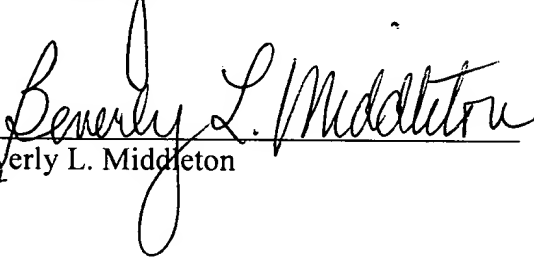


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